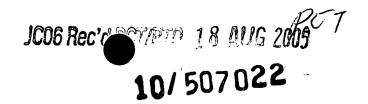
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In response to the July 29, 2005 Notification of Missing Requirements, enclosed please find a translation of the application into English, including a translation of original claims 1-13. It is believed that no processing fee is required because the English translation is being submitted within 30 months of the application priority date (April 9, 2003).

Also enclosed is a substitute Preliminary Amendment. It is respectfully requested that the enclosed substitute Preliminary Amendment be entered in place of the September 8, 2004 Preliminary Amendment submitted with the subject application.

A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements is enclosed herewith.

If any additional fees or charges are required at this time, they may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

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